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**UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
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Attorney Docket No.: 2003\_0902A

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Title: OPTICAL DISK HIGH-SPEED REPLAYING/RECORDING  
APPARATUS

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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

- 1.
- ☒
- Fee Transmittal Form
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- (Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)

- 2.
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- Small Entity Status is hereby asserted.

- 3.
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- Specification [Total Pages: 55]

(preferred arrangement set forth below)

- Descriptive title of the Invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to Sequence Listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix.

- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

- 4.
- ☒
- Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets: 6]

- 5.
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- Oath or Declaration [Total Pages : 3]

a.1. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)a.2. ☐ Unexecutedb. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named  
in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

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- Application Data Sheet (see 37 CFR 1.76)

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- 7.
- ☐
- CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or computer
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- program (Appendix)

- 8.
- ☐
- Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
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- (if applicable, all necessary)

a. ☐ Computer Readable Form

b. Specification Sequence Listing on:

i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); orii. ☐ Paperc. ☐ The paper and computer readable copies are identical**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

- 9.
- ☒
- Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))

- 10.
- ☐
- 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee)

☐ Power of Attorney

- 11.
- ☐
- English Translation Document (if applicable)

- 12.
- ☐
- Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449

☐ Copies of IDS Citations

- 13.
- ☐
- Preliminary Amendment

- 14.
- ☒
- Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically
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- itemized)

- 15.
- ☐
- Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
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- (if foreign priority is claimed)

- 16.
- ☐
- Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i).
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- Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.

- 17.
- ☐
- Other

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- in an Application Data Sheet :

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of prior application No.

Prior Application Information: Examiner

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